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- ☒ 10 sheets of specification.
- ☒ 1 sheet of Abstract.
- ☒ 5 sheets of claims.
- ☒ 4 sheets of formal drawings (FIGS. 1-5)
- ☒ An Assignment of an invention to Fasteners For Retail, Inc., along with the assignment cover sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449.
- ☒ A Statement of Status as a Small Business Entity is enclosed.
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